IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Kenneth F. Buechler

Title:

DIAGNOSTIC DEVICES AND

APPARATUS FOR THE

CONTROLLED MOVEMENT OF REAGENTS WITHOUT

MEMBRANES

Appl. No.:

10/792,258

Filing Date:

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Examiner:

Nguyen, Bao Thuy L.

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1641

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[X] Response to Office action (8 pages).

[X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

| | Claims | | Extra | | |
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| As | Previously | Claims | | Additional | |
| | Amended | Paid For | Present | Rate | Claims Fee |

| Total Claims: | 7 | ** | 24 | | 0 | х | \$50.00 | MARKET STATES | \$0.00 |
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| Independent Claims: | 1 | - | 3 | = | 0 | x | \$200.00 | ****** | \$0.00 |
| | esentation | n of any | Multiple | e Depend | ent Claims | : + | \$360.00 | - | \$0.00 |
| | | | | | CLAIM | S FE | E TOTAL | = | \$0.00 |
|] Applicant he | | | | | time under | 37 C. | F.R. §1.13 | 6(a) | for the |
| total number | of mont | hs chec | ked belov | w: | | | | | |
| [] Extension for |] Extension for response filed within the first month: | | | | | | | | \$0.00 |
| [] Extension for |] Extension for response filed within the second month: | | | | | | | | \$0.00 |
| [] Extension for | Extension for response filed within the third month: | | | | | | | | \$0.00 |
| [] Extension for |] Extension for response filed within the fourth month: | | | | | | | | \$0.00 |
| [] Extension for response filed within the fifth month: \$2,160.00 | | | | | | | | | \$0.00 |
| | | | | E | EXTENSIO | N FE | E TOTAL: | | \$0.00 |
| Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d): \$130. | | | | | | | | | \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL: | | | | | | | | \$0.00 | |
| [] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above): | | | | | | | | | \$0.00 |
| Extension Fees Previously Paid: | | | | | | | \$0.00 | | |
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If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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